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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1 1. (currently amended): A system for identification and tracking of 2 tags distributed in a room, the system comprising[[7]]: 3 a laser base station for scanning laser beams through a portion of the 4 room[[7]]; 5 a tag reactive to incident laser beams to provide a data signal[[7]]; and 6 a tag tracking system receiving input from the laser base station, the tag 7 tracking system storing state records of position and informational content of the 8 tag, 9 wherein the tag tracking system determines angular position of the tag 10 with respect to the laser base station. 1 2. (cancelled). 1 3. (currently amended): A system for identification and tracking of 2 tags distributed in a room, the system comprising[[5]]: 3 at least two laser base stations[[-]];
- a tag reactive to incident laser beams to provide a data signal[[7]]; and
 a tag tracking system receiving input from the at least two laser base
 stations, the tag tracking system storing state records of position and
 informational content of the tag,
 wherein the tag tracking system determines an absolute position of the tag
 in the room based on the input from the at least two laser base stations.
 - 4. (original): The system of claim 1, wherein the tag is passive.

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- 1 5. (original): The system of claim 1, wherein the tag is active, having 2 an internal power supply to power a data broadcast element.
- 1 6. (original): The system of claim 1, wherein the tag is active, having 2 an internal power supply to power an optical data output element.
- 7. (original): The system of claim 1, wherein the tag is active, having an internal power supply to power a radio data output element.
- 8. (original): The system of claim 1, wherein the tag is active, having an internal power supply to power an acoustic data output element.
- 1 9. (previously amended): The system of claim 3, wherein the tag is 2 passive.
- 1 10. (previously amended): The system of claim 3, wherein the tag is 2 active, having an internal power supply to power a data broadcast element.
- 1 11. (previously amended): The system of claim 3, wherein the tag is active, having an internal power supply to power an optical data output element.
- 1 12. (previously amended): The system of claim 3, wherein the tag is active, having an internal power supply to power a radio data output element.
- 1 13. (previously amended): The system of claim 3, wherein the tag is active, having an internal power supply to power an acoustic data output element.